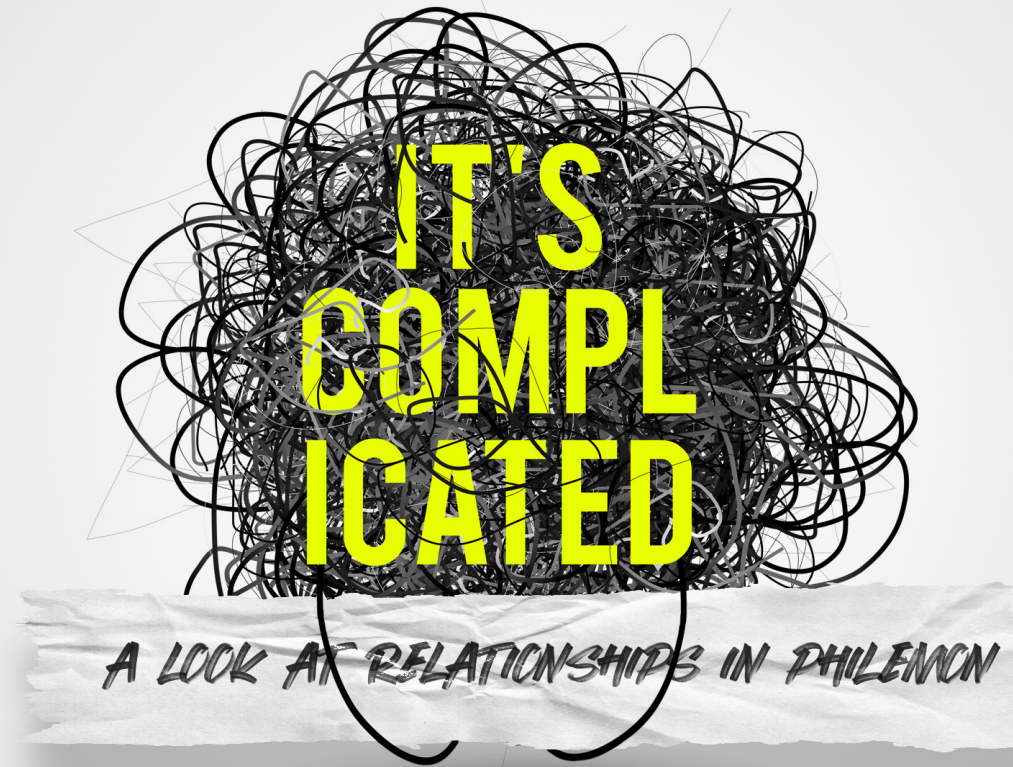


It's Complicated: Defining the Relationship

Philemon 8-16

Matt Murphy

July 25, 2021



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52 WEEKS OF GOLD

Matthew 6:24 (Week 30)

"No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."



SUNDAY
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WELCOME TO GRACE!

We're glad you've joined us today! If you're new to GFC, we have a special gift for you. Please **text "NewHere" to 94000**, follow the prompts, and your gift will be ready for you at the New Here table immediately after the service, or mailed to you if you're joining us online.

COME

You've found a place where everybody's welcome, nobody's perfect, and anything can happen! Below are other opportunities to participate in the life of GFC.

Join a Group. A group can help you develop relationships that lead to growth.

Visit gfcnow.com/groups.

Join a Team. Serving on a team helps you impact others in our church and beyond.

Visit gfcnow.com/serve.

CONNECT

Grace Kids (infant-5th grade)

Grace Kids online services available every week at gfcnow.com/kidslive.

Please sign up your Grace Kids, infants-2's, for onsite services every week at gfcnow.com/kidsrsvp.

Access (special needs ministry)

[Facebook.com/groups/gfcaccess](https://www.facebook.com/groups/gfcaccess)

Re:generation (recovery ministry)

[Facebook.com/groups/gfc regeneration](https://www.facebook.com/groups/gfc regeneration)

Mondays, 6:30pm, Student Center

**visit gfcnow.com/regen for Covid-19 adjustments*

Grace Students (6th-12th grades)

[Instagram.com/gfcstudents](https://www.instagram.com/gfcstudents)

Summer Outdoor Gatherings

Sunday, July 25, 6:30-8:30pm,

North Lawn (middle and high school)

Grace Young Adults (18-early 30s)

[Instagram.com/grace_young_adults](https://www.instagram.com/grace_young_adults)

Summer Park Nights

When: Thursdays, 6:30pm

Where: Willow Springs Park

ENGAGE

Explore how to become part of what God is doing through GFC and dive deeper into the unique qualities of this church in Next Steps. Visit gfcnow.com/steps to sign up.

Invest in the ways we are joining God in "building a community and reaching a community" by generously sharing your resources. Give online at gfcnow.com/give, mail your check to 2314 South Greenwood Dr., Johnson City, TN 37604, place your offering in a secure offering box if attending onsite, or drop off at the church office during our normal business hours.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

GRACE KIDS PROMOTION • ICE CREAM SUNDAY!

If you have a child heading into Kindergarten or 1st grade, you're invited to enjoy an ice cream sundae bar with Grace Kids. We'll have a meet and greet time for parents and kids to get to know your new leaders and ministry areas!

When: Sunday, July 25, 2pm Where: Grace Kids Lobby

LOCAL OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY: SHEPHERD'S LUNCH

Join us in helping those who are homeless or hungry by providing food. Good Samaritan is asking that each volunteer assemble 10 bags with a peanut butter and jelly sandwich, a bag of chips, apple, granola bar, and a bottle of water (all items must be included in one bag). No servers needed.

When/Where: Bags can be dropped off at The Melting Pot located in the basement of Munsey United Methodist Church on Monday, July 26, between 10:15-10:30am. Someone will meet you outside to collect the bags so you don't have to leave your car.

• Sign Up: gfcnow.com/shepherdslunch

GRACE STUDENTS: FINAL SUMMER OUTDOOR GATHERING

Middle and High School students: You're invited to join Grace Students for their final summer outdoor gathering tonight, Sunday, July 25! You won't want to miss out on pizza, games, and fun! Everyone is welcome, so feel free to bring friends.

When: Tonight, Sunday, July 25, 6:30-8:30pm

Where: GFC, North Lawn

MARRIAGE GROUP: REJENGAGE

Ready to reignite, strengthen, or rebuild your marriage? ReJengage is a safe place for couples to reconnect. This group enriches marriages by helping couples move toward oneness through stories of grace, teaching, and small group interaction. ReJengage will meet on August 3 and 10 for preview nights (choose one night) and will continue into the fall. Deadline to sign up is August 9. Cost is \$20 per couple for curriculum which can be purchased after attending a preview night.

When: Preview Nights – Tuesday, August 3 or 10, 6:30-8:30pm

Where: GFC, Room 401 Cost: \$20 per couple

Sign Up: gfcnow.com/reengage

READY TO BE BAPTIZED? LET US KNOW!

Baptism is going public with your faith and declaring to everyone that you have trusted in Jesus. It's a special milestone in the life of every believer! If you would like to learn more about baptism or be a part of the next baptism service on September 12, visit the web page listed below. *Deadline to sign up is August 8.

Sign Up: gfcnow.com/baptism